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## Public Invited to Participate in Save for Retirement Week State House Event

MONTPELIER, Vt.—Making financial plans for retirement may seem even more of a challenge to Vermonters as they contemplate the current turmoil in the financial markets. The State Treasurer's Office is providing free information and resources to the public to help people consider how best to put money away for their golden years.

On Thursday, October 16, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., the Treasurer's Office will distribute free retirement planning workbooks and other educational materials at a public information booth on the State House lawn in Montpelier. Governor Jim Douglas and State Treasurer Jeb Spaulding will make a brief presentation at noon in recognition of national "Save for Retirement Week."

The event also will feature performances by a quartet from the Barre-tones, a raffle for Subway gift certificates and MP3 speakers, and refreshments. For more information, contact the State Treasurer's Office at (802) 828-3706.